

CHAPTER 188.

CITIES OF THE SECOND CLASS.

APRIL 8. AN ACT to Constitute Mayors of Cities of the Second Class Presiding Officers of the City Council thereof.

Mayors to preside in councils, and have casting vote. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,* That the Mayor, of cities of the second class, is hereby constituted the presiding officer of the city council of the city in which he is elected, and shall constitute a member of such council, and shall have a casting vote where there is a tie.

Taking effect. SEC. 2. This act shall take effect from its publication in the Daily State Register and Iowa Evening Statesman, newspapers published at Des Moines.
Approved April 8, 1868.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in *The Iowa Evening Statesman* April 17, 1868, and in the *Daily State Register* April 19, 1868.

ED WRIGHT, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 189.

TAKING PRIVATE PROPERTY FOR WORKS OF INTERNAL IMPROVEMENT.

APRIL 8. AN ACT Supplementary to Article 1, of Chapter 55, of the Revision, ch. 55. of 1860, relating to taking private Property for Works of Internal Improvement.

How private property for constructing drains, sewers, &c., for State institutions may be taken. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,* That whenever, in the opinion of the Governor, the interest[s] of the people of the State require the construction of any drains, sewers, conduits, or other conveniences for the benefit of the Penitentiary, Hospital for the Insane, or any other of the charitable or other institutions of the State, upon or across lands, being private property, the same proceedings may be had in the name of the State as plaintiff as provided by article 1, of chapter 55, of the Revision of 1860, and for that purpose the State shall be considered a person; but the limitation in section 1298 of said chapter shall not apply to proceedings in the name of the State.

Rev., § 1298. License not required.